

required for safe operation or shutdown of plants, since most are controlled by analog equipment that does not use computers. However, other non-safety computer systems used in such areas as control room displays, radiation monitoring and security functions may have potential problems. For this reason, and to be able to respond to potential unanticipated Y2K problems, the NRC is developing a contingency plan for ensuring that public health and safety and the environment will continue to be protected.

The Contingency Plan for the Year 2000 Issue, built around a reasonably conservative planning scenario, would establish NRC expectations for staff coordination with external stakeholders and staff actions to be taken during the transition period.

The staff considers the NRC Year 2000 Contingency Plan to be a rapidly evolving product, subject to anticipated but very necessary coordination efforts with other Federal agencies and with NRC licensees. In its current form, the plan discusses actions and approaches involving potential policy issues that may require more formal Commission review and approval. However, the Commission has determined that the plan should be made available to the public at this time in order to promote communication and dialogue regarding the proposals discussed therein.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 13th day of January, 1999.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Frank J. Congel,

Director, Incident Response.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Notice of Availability of NUREG-1700, "Standard Review Plan for Evaluating License Termination Plans for Nuclear Power Reactors"

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission is noticing issuance of NUREG-1700, "Standard Review Plan Evaluating License Termination Plans for Nuclear Power Reactors." The

standard review plan (SRP), NUREG-1700, guides staff reviewers on performing safety reviews of LTPs. Although the SRP is intended to be used by the NRC staff in conducting reviews, it can be used by interested parties responsible for conducting their own licensing reviews or developing an LTP. The principal purpose of the SRP is to ensure the quality and uniformity of staff reviews and to present a well-defined base from which to evaluate the requirements. It is also the purpose of the SRP to make the information about regulatory matters widely available to improve the understanding of the staff's review process by interested members of the public and the nuclear industry.

The document is available for inspection at the NRC's Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC 20555, and on the NRC Home Page (<http://www.nrc.gov/>). NUREG-1700, "Standard Review Plan for Evaluating License Termination Plans for Nuclear Power Reactor" is being issued as a draft for comment. Any interested party may submit comments on this report for consideration by the NRC staff. The comment periods end June 15, 1999. Please specify the report number, draft NUREG-1700, in your comments and send them by June 15, 1999, to: Chief, Rules and Directives Branch, Office of Administration, Mail Stop T-6D59, Washington, DC 20555-0001.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 18th day of December 1998.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

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Chief, Low-Level Waste and Decommissioning Projects Branch, Division of Waste Management, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards.

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OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

Cumulative Report on Rescissions and Deferrals

December 1, 1998.

This report is submitted in fulfillment of the requirement of Section 1014(e) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-344). Section 1014(e) requires a monthly report listing all budget authority for the current fiscal year for which, as of the first day of the month, a special message had been transmitted to Congress.

This report gives the status, as of December 1, 1998, of the two deferrals contained in the first special message for FY 1999. The message was transmitted to Congress on October 22, 1998.

Deferrals (Attachments A and B)

As of December 1, 1998, \$167.6 million in budget authority was being deferred from obligation. Attachment B shows the status of each deferral reported during FY 1999.

Information from Special Message

The special message containing information on the deferrals that are covered by this cumulative report is printed in the edition of the **Federal Register** cited below:

63 FR 63949-50, Tuesday, November 17, 1998.

Jacob J. Lew,

Director.

ATTACHMENT A.—STATUS OF FY 1999 DEFERRALS

[In millions of dollars]

	Budgetary resources
Deferrals proposed by the President	167.6
Routine Executive releases through December 1, 1998 (OMB/Agency releases of \$0)
Overtaken by the Congress
Currently before the Congress ...	167.6

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